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Subject: RE: From OMB - EO 12866 Interagency Review: EPA's Guidance for Plant Biostimulant Products: Label Claims Excluded or Regulated under FIFRA as Plant Regulator Claims (RIN 2070-ZA21) - USDA Comments

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The term "sustainable agriculture" is defined at [U.S. Code Title 7, Section 3103](#) while IPM is defined at [U.S Code Title 7, Section 136r-1](#). Sustainable agriculture refers to an integrated system of plant and animal production practices that is broader than the pest-management focus of IPM.

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Importance: High

My Comments in **BLUE** below. I did not get a chance to finish answering questions at the bottom of email but we can discuss at meeting

From: McNally, Robert
Sent: Monday, February 04, 2019 6:39 PM
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Here are my thoughts in RED on these issues below

From: Chun, Melissa

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Hi all,

Danielle sent the following comments from USDA last night.

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Please take a look at the comments. We'll discuss them next week.

Please note that I've attached a template for our responses.

Danielle also mentioned that she is working with USDA to reschedule the call, but it looks like we will be unable to meet until the week of February 11th.

-Melissa

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